

Appl. No. 10/613,339
Amendment to Office Action of 05.19.2005

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the first paragraph on page 2 located under the heading “Related Applications” with the following paragraph:

United States Patent 6,817,502 Patent application serial number 10/226437 entitled “Bicycle Wheel Holder” filed on 08/23/2002; patent application serial number [] 10/613,343 entitled “Seatpost Mounted Bicycle Wheel Holding Device” filed concurrently with this application; and patent application serial number [] 10/613,338 entitled “Bicycle Wheel Bag” also filed concurrently with this application are all commonly owned along with this application and are hereby incorporated by reference in their entirety herein.

Please replace the third full paragraph on page 9 beginning on line 19 with the following paragraph:

For instance, the shape of the wireform could vary substantially along with the manner in which it braces against the handlebar or stem. A generally horizontal variation of the generally vertical attachment portion of the wireform disclosed in the concurrently filed and commonly owned United States patent application entitled [] “Seatpost Mounted Bicycle Wheel Holding Device” (serial # [] 10/613,343) could be utilized to attach the wheel holding device to the stem extension. Further while the device has been primarily described with reference to a wireform, alternative embodiments need not utilize a wireform, rather any type of framework is suitable that facilitates the securing of a bicycle wheel to the bicycle in the manner required by the appended claims.